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Ms. Erica Hartman  
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Subject: Label Amendment – Adding marketing claims, pool sanitization claim and ABN  
Product Name: Suncoast Chemicals CO. Stabilized Chlorinating Pool Sticks  
EPA Registration Number: 46043-8  
Application Date: 07/25/2017  
Decision Number: 538991

Dear Ms. Hartman:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. “To distribute or sell” is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

The alternate brand name “Value Chlor Stabilized Chlorinating Pool Sticks” has been added to the product record.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company’s website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product’s label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA’s Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

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Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please contact Ben Chambliss by phone at (703) 308-8174, or via email at [chambliss.ben@epa.gov](mailto:chambliss.ben@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Fuller', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

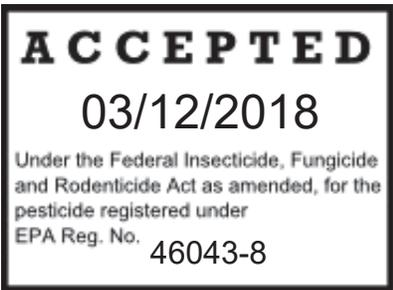
Demson Fuller, Product Manager 32  
Regulatory Management Branch II  
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)  
Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure: stamped label

{All text in brackets [xxx] is optional and may or may not be included on a final label.}  
 {All text in braces {xxx} is administrative and will not appear on final label.}

**SUNCOAST® CHEMICALS CO.**  
**Stabilized Chlorinating Pool Sticks**

**Active Ingredient:**  
 Trichloro-s-Triazinetrione\* .....99%  
**Other Ingredients:**.....1%  
 Available Chlorine.....90%  
 \*Trichloroisocyanuric Acid Dry



**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**  
**DANGER**

See First Aid and Additional Precautions on back panel.

Net Wt. {amount}

{Back Panel}

<b>FIRST AID</b>	
<b><u>IF SWALLOWED:</u></b>	Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
<b><u>IF ON SKIN:</u></b>	Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
<b><u>IF INHALED:</u></b>	Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
<b><u>IF IN EYES:</u></b>	Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
<b><u>HOTLINE NUMBER</u></b>	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact <b>1-800-255-3924</b> for emergency treatment information.	
<b><u>NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:</u></b>	
Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.	

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. **DO NOT HANDLE THIS PRODUCT WITH BARE HANDS. USE GLOVES OR THOROUGHLY CLEAN, DRY UTENSILS.**

[DAILY

Adjust the chlorine dispensing rate of the floater or in-line feeder to provide 2.0-4.0 ppm of free chlorine residual as determined by a reliable test kit. The initial startup and weekly maintenance dosage is 1 to 3

sticks per 10,000 gallons although this dosage may vary due to unusual conditions such as heavy bather loads, wind, heavy rains, and high temperatures; therefore, frequent use of a reliable test kit is recommended. Use the test kit as a guide to maintain the pH at 7.4-7.6 and total alkalinity at 80-130 ppm. Pool chlorinating sticks are intended for use in a floater or in-line feeder only. Do not add these sticks directly to the pool or mix with any other chemicals.]

Re-entry into treated swimming pools is prohibited above levels of 3 ppm of chlorine.

***{Directions to be used for pool sanitization with sticks}***

**POOL SANITIZATION WITH STICKS**

For use in feeders or floaters – kills bacteria and controls algae, clarifies, prevents metal staining and corrosion, and reduces scale formation.

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

1. Shock your pool every week and also after heavy rain or heavy use to help keep your pool water properly maintained.
2. Sunlight, rainfall, temperature, number of swimmers, and frequency of pool use affect the rate of chlorine residual loss. Adjust cleaning and chemical maintenance accordingly.
3. Use this product in an automatic feeder or floater designed for this product.
4. Do not add other chemicals into the feeder or floater where this product is in use as a fire or explosion may occur.
5. To avoid damage to pool surface or materials do not allow product to come in direct contact with these materials. Do not throw sticks directly into the pool.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in any manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label and use strictly in accordance with precautionary statements and directions.

**BEFORE YOU BEGIN:**

1. Ensure all pool equipment is working properly. Adjust stabilizer levels to 40-100 ppm with {{brand name}} stabilizer. Follow Manufacturer's Directions for Use.
2. Test the water's pH, alkalinity, and calcium hardness and adjust to the correct level. Adjust pH to 7.4-7.6. [Adjust alkalinity to 80-130 ppm. Adjust calcium hardness to 250-400 ppm for plaster and fiberglass pools and 200-300 ppm for vinyl pools.] Be sure to follow label directions when using other products as outlined in directions for this product.
3. Check the free available chlorine level and adjust to 2-4 ppm by adding [a granular chlorinating product] [insert EPA Registered brand name chlorinating product]. Follow Manufacturer's Directions for Use.

**START-UP/INITIAL TREATMENT:**

1. If water is cloudy or green, superchlorinate pool with appropriate shock product until pool is clear.
2. Add 16 ounces [oz.] of this product (two sticks) per 10,000 gallons of pool water to feeder or floater and then test for the free available chlorine level (allow water to circulate at least 4 hours before testing). Adjust the feeder or floater following manufacturer's instructions to establish a free available chlorine level between 2-4 ppm.
3. When free available chlorine level is adjusted to 2-4 ppm, add [EPA Registered brand name] algaecide. Follow Manufacturer's Directions for Use.

**ROUTINE MAINTENANCE:**

Add 16 ounces [oz.] of this product per 10,000 gallons of pool water per week, or as often as needed, to the feeder or floater to maintain a constant free available chlorine level of 2-4 ppm. Sunlight, rainfall, temperature, number of swimmers, and frequency of pool use affect the rate of chlorine residual loss so check the floater or feeder often and refill as needed.

**{For all products}**

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS  
DANGER**

**CORROSIVE:** Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if absorbed through skin. May be fatal if inhaled. Do not breathe dust or spray mists. Irritating to nose and throat. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, protective clothing and rubber gloves when handling this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD**

{For 50 pounds and less}: [This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.]

{For larger than 50 pounds}: [This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of EPA.]

**CHEMICAL HAZARDS:**

**DANGER: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT.** Use only clean, dry utensils. Mix only with water. Contamination with moisture, dirt, organic matter, or other chemicals (including other pool chemicals), or any other foreign matter may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases, and possible generation of fire and explosion. Avoid any contact with flaming or burning material, such as a lighted cigarette. Do not use this product with any other product or chemical, such as calcium hypochlorite. Such use may cause fire or explosion.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

**STORAGE:** Keep product dry in a tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from heat or open flames. Do not reuse or refill empty container.

**DISPOSAL:**

If empty: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling, if available.

If partly filled: Call your solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP (800-253-2687) for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**NOTICE:** In the event you do not use the entire contents of this package, the remainder must be stored in a child-resistant container as required by the U.S. Federal Government.

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EPA Est. No. 46043-FL-1**

[IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL 1-800-255-3924]

Manufactured By:  
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{Marketing Claims}

[For use in a floater or in-line feeder]  
[For use in a floater or automatic feeder]  
[Slow Dissolving]  
[UV protected against the sun's rays]  
[UV-protected for extended chlorine life]  
[Controls bacteria and algae]  
[Kills bacteria]  
[Good for all pool types]  
[Keeps pool water sparkling clean]  
[Destroys organic contaminants]  
[Long-lasting tablets]  
[Swimming Pool Sanitizer]  
[Leaves no residue]  
[Concentrated]  
[Stabilized Chlorinator]  
[Swimming Pool Sanitizer]  
[Concentrated Swimming Pool Chlorinating Sticks]  
[Stabilized Slow Dissolving Chlorinating Sticks]  
[Slow Dissolving Stabilized Sticks]  
[For Use in All [Swimming] Pools]